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1. ☒ Specification

2. ☐ 3 Sheet(s) of drawing(s)

3. ☒ Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97.

4. Combined Declaration for Patent Application and Power of Attorney:

4a. ☒ New (Unsigned)

4b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d)) (for continuation/divisional with Box 11 completed)

6. ☐ Assignment of the invention to

NexPress Solutions LLC

7. ☒ Certified German Priority Applications:

DE 100 64 556.9 (12/22/2000) &

DE 101 13 885.7 (03/21/2001)

8. ☐ Translation

9. ☐ Deletion of Inventor(s).

Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

5. ☒ Incorporation by Reference (useable if Box 4b is

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10. ☐ If a 111A application prior to examination of the above-identified application, amend the specification at Page 1, after the title, by inserting the following:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

Reference is made to and priority claimed from U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. , filed , entitled .

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11. ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No. :

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